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/J.S./	AB	6,023,723	02/08/2000	Filtering unwanted junk email utilizing a plurality of filtering mechanisms	709	206	12/22/97
/J.S./	AC	6,029,164	02/22/2000	Organizing & accessing electronic mail messages using labels & full text label indexing	707	3	6/16/97
/J.S./	AD	6,092,101	07/18/2000	Filtering mail messages for a plurality of client computers connected to mail serv. System	709	206	6/16/97
/J.S./	AE	6,161,130	12/12/2000	Probabilistic classifier to detect "junk" email by automatically updating a training & retraining	709	206	6/23/98
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/J.S./	AJ	6,324,569	11/27/2001	Self-removing email verified or designated as such by a message distributor	709	206	7/18/00
/J.S./	AK	6,330,590	12/11/2001	Preventing delivery of unwanted bulk email	709	206	1/5/99
/J.S./	AL	6,421,709	07/16/2002	Email filter and method thereof	709	206	7/7/99
/J.S./	AM	6,484,197	11/19/2002	Filtering incoming email	709	206	2/11/99
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